

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	]	Group Art Unit: 1745
Raimund Strobel et al.	]	
	]	Examiner: Raymond Alejandro
Application No. 10/531,201	]	
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	]	
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September 10, 2009

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND  
RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Honorable Sir:

This paper is in response to the election requirement dated August 12, 2009,  
having a response due date of September 12, 2009.

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